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Sir:

In response to the Advisory Action of December 21, 2004 and the Final Office Action of August 17, 2004, Applicant hereby petitions for a two-month extension of time, extending the period for response to January 17, 2005. A check in the amount of \$450.00 is enclosed as payment of the fee. Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

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